## IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS AUSTIN DIVISION

NETLIST, INC.,

Plaintiff,

v.

MICRON TECHNOLOGY, INC., MICRON SEMICONDUCTOR PRODUCTS, INC., and MICRON TECHNOLOGY TEXAS LLC,

Defendants.

NETLIST, INC.,

Plaintiff,

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MICRON TECHNOLOGY, INC., MICRON SEMICONDUCTOR PRODUCTS, INC., and MICRON TECHNOLOGY TEXAS LLC,

Defendants.

Civil Action No. 1:22-cv-00134-LY

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DECLARATION OF CHUN KI HONG IN SUPPORT OF PLAINTIFF NETLIST, INC.'S OPPOSITION TO DEFENDANTS' MOTION TO STAY PENDING INTER PARTES REVIEW OF THE ASSERTED PATENTS

## I, CHUN KI HONG, declare as follows:

- My name is CHUN KI HONG. I am the Chief Executive Officer and founder of Netlist, Inc., a leading innovator in high-performance memory module technologies.
- 2. It is by virtue of my position and involvement that I have personal knowledge of the matters set forth below.
- Netlist sent a RAND-licensing offer letter to Micron Technology, Inc. on April 28, 2021.
- 4. Following several weeks of back-and-forth communications with Micron, Netlist determined that Micron did not appear interested in engaging in RAND negotiations and proceeded to serve the complaints in these cases.
- 5. Attached as Exhibit A is a true and correct copy of the letter sent by Marc Frechette, then Netlist's Chief Licensing Officer to Sanjay Mehrotra, President & CEO of Micron, on April 28, 2021.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed this 19th day of April, 2022, in Seoul, Korea.

Respectfully submitted,

Chun Ki Hong